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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Yegua Zone, Reservoir A

NORTH CHOUPIQUE FIELD Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **MAYNE & MERTZ**, **INC.** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters:

- 1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Yegua Zone, Reservoir A, in the North Choupique Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, said unit to be designated Y RA SUA, as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 3. To provide that any wells drilled to the Yegua Zone, Reservoir A, should be located in accordance with the provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
- 4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing should the producing characteristics of such reservoir change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
 - 5. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Yegua Zone, Reservoir A, in the North Choupique Field, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 14,270 feet and 16,450 feet (electrical log measurements) in the B.H.P. Petroleum – Glover No. 1 Well, located in Section 10, Township 10 South, Range 11 West, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

Pertinent data, including well logs, may be obtained AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY from W. H. Robbins & Associates LLC, 302 LaRue France, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508, Telephone Number 337/232-5004.

Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, a pre-application conference was held on March 23, 2006, in Lafayette, Louisiana, at which the parties named on the attached list were in attendance. The conference was opened by representatives of the applicant who explained the bases for the proposed unit. Questions were asked and answered. No counterplans were presented. The conference was adjourned.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are a plat, the conference attendance list, and the list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being mailed. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, the list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be furnished to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check made payable to the Office of Conservation in the amount of \$755.00 on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,

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Mr. Richard Hudson, Lafayette District Office of Conservation Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

